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USGS Quad: Beaverdale, Pennsylvania (1:24000)

UTM: 17 E.693555 N.4465360

Date of Construction:

ca. 1950

Builder:

Johnstown Coal & Coke Corporation

Present Owner:

unknown

Present Use:

Abandoned

Significance:

The construction of the Tipple and Separator at Allendale was an attempt by the Johnstown Coal & Coke Corporation to remain competitive in the coal markets. All of the coal which this company produced in the 1950s

was cleaned at the Allendale facility.

Project Information:

In February 1987, the Historic American Engineering Record (HAER) and the Historic American Buildings Survey (HABS) began a multi-year historical and architectural documentation project in southwestern Pennsylvania. Carried out in conjunction with America's Industrial Heritage Project (AIHP), HAER undertook a comprehensive inventory of Blair and Cambria counties as the first step in identifying the region's surviving historic engineering works and industrial resources.

The results of this project have been published in <u>Blair County and Cambria County</u>, <u>Pennsylvania</u>: An <u>Inventory of Historic Engineering and Industrial Sites</u> (1990), edited by Gray Fitzsimons and produced by

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